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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

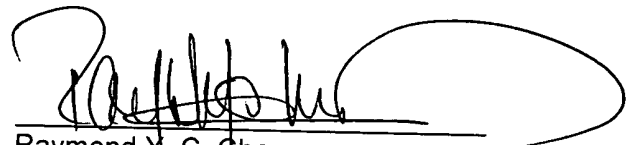
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Sir:

This is a response to the restriction requirement in the Office Action dated February 09, 2001. The applicant choose the preparation method of immunoglobulin Y against dental caries bacteria as the elected single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is final held to be allowable.

Applicant elect without traverse to prosecute the invention of original claims 1 to 7 for examination since those elected claims read on the above elected embodiment.

Respectfully submitted,

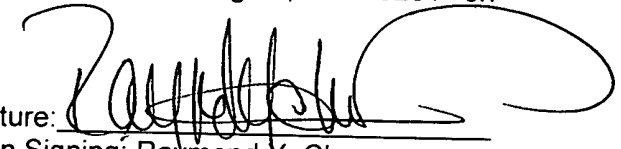

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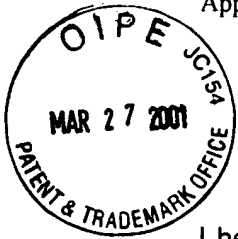
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